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• *Integrity
First*

• *Service
Before
Self*

• *Excel-
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In All
We Do*



Photo/SSgt. Rosaire Bushey

Easter surprise

Hunter Graver, 7 and his sister Beth 6, take apart plastic Easter eggs they collected during the 65th Medical Group's Easter egg hunt Saturday at the community center. Hunter and Beth are the children of Maj. Jay and Susan Graver.

Deployment benefits both Azoreans, U.S. military

SSgt. Rosaire Bushey
Editor

A platoon of U.S. Navy Seabees arrived on the island of Sao Miguel March 31 along with a U.S. Army boat, the General Frank S. Besson, loaded with equipment the Seabees would use to help with road and river channel repairs.

Repairs stem from a storm which passed over the island in October causing heavy damage and killing 29 people in a single village.

The U.S. aid includes tractors, bulldozers, back hoes and other heavy equipment items.

While on the island the Seabees will repair roads that were washed out during the storm and enlarge the

course of a nearby river to help prevent flooding in the event of another storm.

Three projects will be undertaken by the nearly 30 Navy personnel as determined by a cooperative effort between the government of Portugal, the Regional Government of the Azores and the U.S. Consulate. The initiative was agreed to as the result of a site survey conducted in January.

"This project benefits both of us," said Col. Rod Gibson, U.S. Forces Azores Commander. "Our troops are receiving valuable training on an actual deployment while helping the citizens of Sao Miguel. The mutual benefit of this deployment serves to strengthen the long-standing ties between the United States and the Azores"

See photos on Pages 6 and 7.

1998 telethon "For the Kids' Sake"



Saturday

- 65th SFS flea market
- 65th Mission Support Squadron family bingo begins at 6 p.m.

Monday

65th SFS Firearm Training System tournament - 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. for adults, 3 to 5 p.m. for kids and from 5 to 8 p.m. open.

Tuesday

65th SFS FATS tournament - 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. for adults, 3 to 5 p.m. for kids and from 5 to 8 p.m. open.

Wednesday

65th SFS FATS tournament - 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. for adults, 3 to 5 p.m. for kids and from 5 to 8 p.m. open.

Thursday

629th AMSS bench press-a-thon

April 24

65th Operations Support Squadron bowl-a-thon from noon to 3:30 p.m.

April 25

• 65th Medical Group and youth center mini carnival from noon to 4 p.m.

• 65th Services Division cow drop

April 29

65th SFS step-a-thon

April 30

65th MSS tee for two golf tournament starts at noon

**TEAM LAJES — PUTTING PEOPLE FIRST --
BOTH OUR VISITORS, AND OURSELVES**



Goal Day Update

The following are the scores and what they represent for goal day information: Outstanding, 10; excellent, 9-7; satisfactory, 6-4; marginal, 3-1; and unsatisfactory, 0.

Status/score

WEEK 1 WEEK 2 WEEK 3 WEEK 4 WEEK 5

Fuel response time - Goal 7 minutes

7.83/2 6.96/10

IMPAC usage - Goal 75 percent

72.5/8 73.2/8

DNA testing - Goal 95 percent

91/7 92/8

Duty status - Goal 90 percent

89/9 100/10

Week one overall score and rating was 6.5 - Excellent

Week two overall score and rating was 9 - Excellent

To earn a down day the wing must meet all four goals by the end of week five. If the goals are met the down day will be taken in May.



The police blotters are true incidents affecting members of the Lajes community for the period April 7 to 13.

ASSAULT

April 13 — Verbal/domestic dispute/off-base. A member and his spouse were involved in a minor dispute with no injuries. The unit first sergeant was called.

BREAKING & ENTERING/THEFT OF PROPERTY

April 10 — Theft/on-base/secured. Person(s) unknown broke into a locker at the fitness center and removed a military member's private belongings.

April 11 — Theft/on-base/unsecured. Person(s) unknown removed coaxial cable from a TV in a day room of T-131/dormitory.

LARCENY

April 9 — Breaking and entering/damage of government property/off-base/secured. Person(s) unknown broke into T-248/METNAV.

April 13 — Damage to government property/GOV/on-base. Person(s) unknown damaged a GOV while the vehicle was parked at T-216/vehicle maintenance.

<u>Incident</u>	<u>April 7-13</u>	<u>98 CYTD</u>	<u>97 Total</u>
Assaults	0	2	14
Domestic assaults	1	2	4
Burglary	0	3	50
B&E/sheds	0	6	32
B&E/Govt. Bldgs.	1	17	38
Larceny	3	37	148
Vehicle accidents	0	27	97
DUI	0	0	5
Vandalism	0	12	86

Lajes Team Player



Sr. Sharon Hooper

Unit - 65th Communications Squadron, Visual Information

DEROS - July 1998

How do you contribute to the Team Lajes mission - By providing photographic support to base agencies for events and mission related jobs.

Like least about Lajes - Rushing around after work to get to the upper and lower BX, commissary and gas station before 6 p.m.

Like most about Lajes - This is where I met my best friend in the world - my husband Dave.

Sorties

April 6 -12

ACC - 0

AMC - 28

DOD - 14

ALLIED - 27



Last DUI - Sept. 15
Days without a DUI - 214

The Next Strong Cajun is
due May 10



Photo/SSgt. Rosaire Bushey

Dental care

Maj. Paul Deveau, general duty dentist, gives a check up to SSgt. Cornelius Moore, 65th Operations Support Squadron Wednesday. Family member dental care during the months of May and June will be limited due to permanent change of station moves and summer replacements. For more information, contact Ext. 23139.

Team Lajes...

Quarterly Awards

65th Civil Engineer Squadron

Company grade officer - **1st. Lt. Paul Dysle**

Senior NCO - **MSgt. Charles Clampit**

NCO - **TSgt. Jeff Repass**

Airman - **SrA. Anthony Gutka**

U.S. Civilian, Category two - **Ron Caudle**

Portuguese Civilian, Category 1 - **Delio D.**

Gomes

Portuguese Civilian, Category 2 - **Angelo**

Mendes

65th Supply Squadron

Company Grade Officer - **1st. Lt. Robert**

Henderson

Airman - **SrA. Heather Shearer**

NCO - **TSgt. Jay Carpenter**

Sr. NCO - **MSgt. Thomas Harmon**

Category 1 Civilian - **Manuel Carlos**

Category 2 Civilian - **Elvira Borges**

U.S. Civilian - **Cathy Palmer**

Essay winners

The Mid Atlantic Lodge recently sponsored a quarterly sponsor and essay contest. The following are this quarter's winners:

Essay - SSgt. Douglas Fugett, 65th Communications Squadron

Sponsor - SSgt. Eddie Alexander, 65th CS

Alexander won a one-night stay in a DV room with a complimentary bottle of wine and a cheese/cracker tray, along with a dinner for two valued at \$25 at the Top of the Rock Club. This is to recognize the sponsors who are doing an outstanding job.

Briefs

Volunteer lunch

There will be a volunteer appreciation lunch Thursday at 11:30 a.m. at the club. The cost is \$8 per person plus \$3 for non-club members. Reservations can be made by calling Danette Pugh-Patton at Ext. 24138.

AFSA meets

The next Air Force Sergeant's Association general meeting will be in the Lisbon Room of the club at 4 p.m. Tuesday. All enlisted members are welcome.

Toastmasters

The Lajes Toastmasters will meet May 6 from noon to 1 p.m. at the club in the officer's lounge. Everyone is welcome to come out and improve their public speaking skills.

Teachers needed

The University of Maryland is looking for instructors for vocational and technical courses starting in August. Interested people need a bachelors degree in their teaching specialty. Applications are available at the UMD office in Bldg. T-426, Room 223, or call Ext. 24187 for more information.

Tax center hours

The following are the new hours for the base tax center: Monday from 6 to 7 p.m.; and Saturday from 1 to 2 p.m.

PWOC ladies tea

The Protestant Women of the Chapel will host a lady's tea - a Tribute to Women - on May 3 from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the club. Ladies of all ages are welcome to join for music, fellowship and children's stories presented by Kathryn Roe. The featured speaker will be Kathy Keith. Reservations can be made by calling Lynn Driskell at Ext. 28529 or Deanna Campbell at Ext. 28550. Reservations must be made by April 29.

Library week open house

To celebrate National Library Week, the base library will have an open house Wednesday starting at 3 p.m. There will be door prizes and plenty to do for everyone. A special storytime will also begin at 3 p.m.

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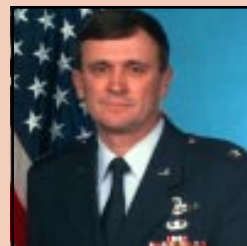


action line 24240

The Action Line is your tool to help Team Lajes. However, before you call, try to resolve your issue through the appropriate agency. You may remain anonymous, but for a direct answer, please leave your name and phone number. Additionally, answers to anonymous inquiries will normally not be published. Use the following numbers to help solve problems through base agencies.

Family support	23122
AAFES manager	23209
Commissary	26124
Hospital	23615
Civil engineer	26113
Housing	26251
Chaplain	23411
CE customer service desk	23335

Security police	26114
Telephone service desk	119
Supply squadron	23832
TMO inbound	25168
TMO outbound	24213
Personnel flight	23612
Services	21322/
beeper 169-1174	



Col. Rod Gibson, 65th Air Base Wing Commander.

Teach respect as a two-way street

SSgt. Debbie Davis
NCOIC, mental health flight

"Somebody needs to teach today's kids respect. When I was growing up, I respected my parents. I can tolerate anything from my kids except disrespect."

Sound familiar? Kids who don't respond to authority figures are typically labeled as "disrespectful" or "out of control."

The problem, however, is adults using the word respect, when they want kids to be obedient. Respect isn't something to be taught as much as something to be earned. Many kids are obedient because they fear their parents will inflict punishment. But, they have little respect for the parent who inflicts the punishment. We must be sure when we recognize the need for our kids' respect, we discipline in a way that promotes respect rather than resentment.

For example, many adults say, "When my father told me to do something, I knew he meant business." In other words, if they did not follow through with obedience, they would receive some type of punishment.

It's reasonable to expect short-term obedience from kids when they fear physical punishment. Even adults will modify their behavior if they fear for their safety or are trying to avoid pain. Rarely do we respect someone who is not able to remain calm or avoid aggressive behavior when they are angry or disappointed.

There are no laws against spanking a child with an open hand, provided that the spankings are not excessive and do not result in marks or bruises. In fact, many people refer to the Biblical statement from Proverbs, "spare the rod, spoil the

BLUE RIBBON

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65th Air Base Wing Child Abuse Prevention Blue Ribbon Day is Wednesday.

Military members are authorized to wear a blue ribbon on their uniform collar.

For more information, call Ext. 25177.

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child." Recognize that at the time a rod was used by a shepherd to guide his sheep and keep them from straying. It wasn't a tool for "beating." It was used to provide guidance and structure in order to protect. Parents are responsible to provide structure and discipline for their children in order to teach and protect them until they are wise enough to choose for themselves.

We demand respect from our children, but often we don't respect our children. Respect is a two-way street that needs to go both ways to work. Children learn to respect their elders when their elders respect the things they do. Children need to be praised for a job well done - no matter how small of a task it may seem to you, it may be a great challenge for them.

Building your child's self-esteem gives them confidence in

themselves, as well as respect for you. Allow a child to be responsible for their own behavior within their capabilities. Praise them for their wise decisions and tell them how proud you are of them. Talking out bad decisions will help them create other ways to handle problems. When faced with difficult situations again, they may be more inclined to follow your guidance.

Don't let your children control your life; but let them share in the responsibility of developing their own lives. Teach your children respect is a two-way street.

Parenting classes as well as family counseling are offered through the mental health clinic. Hand-outs and pamphlets on discipline and self-esteem are also available to help you help your children grow to their full potential.

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This week Ed concludes his series of articles about the Azorean islands featuring the island of Corvo.

With a length of approximately four miles and a width of two and a half miles and a total area of approximately six and a half square miles, this oval-shaped island is the smallest of the archipelago with slightly more than 300 inhabitants.

Together with its neighboring island of Flores located just 10 miles south, Corvo forms the westernmost part of Portugal and the European Union.

Discovered at the same time as the island of Flores, its settlement started at a later date, about the middle of the 16th century. The island's only village, Vila Nova do Corvo, is the smallest Portuguese village and probably the most isolated one.

Throughout Corvo's history, the people lived in the town and their numbers have never exceeded one thousand. Legend tells of a time when the population was about to approach that magic number and messages were sent out to Flores and other islands telling Corvo's emigrants to temporarily return. As the numbers mounted, there was great excitement and a big festival was being planned to celebrate the glorious moment in the island's history.

But it was not Corvo's fate to have the pleasure of enjoying this fabulous happening. At the count of 999, two members of a family were forced to leave the island because a relative was dying on another island. Afterwards, the number of people slowly decreased

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and all the plans were given up and forgotten.

Besides Vila Nova do Corvo with its narrow and characteristic streets, the visitors can also enjoy the view of Caldeirão, the crater of the extinct volcano. At the bottom of this crater there are two small lakes with small islets which are thought by popular imagination to represent the Azorean islands with the exception of Flores and Corvo.

Today, a small port and airport, which can only accept small aircraft, serve the island of Corvo.

Dining facility readies for round two of food survey

Ann LeBlond
Services marketing

Based on customer input from the latest quality food survey, the Tradewinds Dining Facility has initiated the following changes to address concerns.

Last quarter services started an aggressive marketing plan aimed at dispelling the perception of problems surrounding the dining facility.

Among the most common complaints was that there were no healthy meals, the food is not up to standards, and the quality of service is low.

First, dining facility management implemented a rotation plan within the division to bring in more food service experience. They created quality assurance and production manager positions.

Second, the 28-day rotating menu was rebuilt, adding many new entrees, to ensure variety

and to emphasize the healthy heart program. One aspect of this new menu caters more to our carry-out customers with new breakfast items wrapped and ready to go, such as breakfast burritos and the croissant and English muffin breakfast sandwiches.

Third, a one-on-one food training program has been started with the Portuguese cooks to improve the quality of food preparation.

In addition all dining facility employees must attend customer care training to improve customer service.

Fourth, the facility has started a guest appreciation night on Fridays aimed at pleasing their our dorm resident customers.

Consequently, with these changes in place, the dining facility has seen its numbers and income go up, which allows them to add lobster, steak, shrimp and Mongolian barbe-

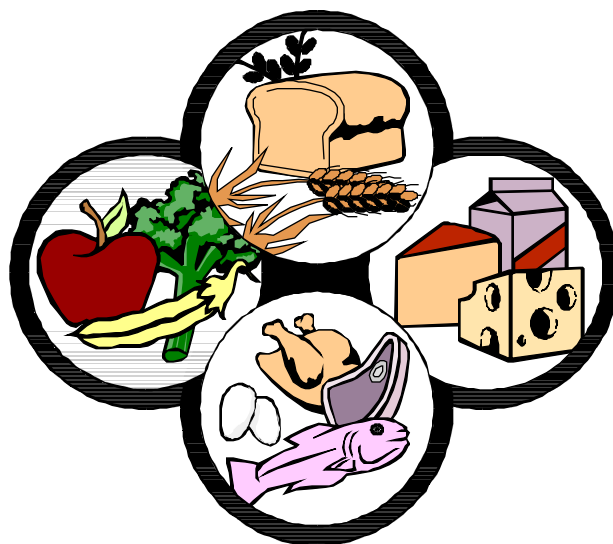
cues to the menu for special meals.

On another note, the hours of operation survey that was sent out came back with no significant change in hours noted, so Tradewinds hours will remain the same.

If anyone has any additional

questions regarding the results of this survey, contact the service's marketing department at Ext. 21323.

The next round of the food service survey will be sent in mid-May to all meal card holders.





U.S. Forces work to help fix ravages of storm-torn village



Opposite page top: The unit of nearly 30 Seabees meets outside their quarters on Sao Miguel on their way to begin work on one of three projects they'll be undertaking.

Opposite middle: Repairing wash-outs like this is one of the main tasks the Seabees will tackle. Heavy flooding in October washed out several sections of roads to island villages.

Opposite bottom: Members of the unit fill in a road way. Left: A bulldozer goes into one of the wash-outs to clear debris and begin the process of fixing the damage.

Inset above: This small river will be widened by the unit during their stay which should last about two months. The widening will help prevent flooding during the next storm.



Plan ahead for a smooth summer time PCS move

Lyn Kukral

*Military Traffic Management
Command Public Affairs*

WASHINGTON - AFNS — Industry leaders predict a big household goods moving season and competition from the private sector might affect military moves.

For military members, competition could affect their choice of move dates, availability of storage facilities and delivery time.

"We anticipate the volume of military moves will be about the same this year as last," said Hank Spieler, chief of Military Traffic Management Command's domestic and international rates branch. "But there will be certain 'stress points' around the country. These include Washington D.C., and Norfolk, Va."

The key to getting the times and service a member wants is to take action early. And lightening the load is the first step.

"People don't need to wait until orders are in hand to start preparations for a move, especially since most have a good idea when orders are coming," Spieler said. "Think about what you can take to where you're going, especially if it's overseas. Then clean out what you don't need."

When all that remains is what is actually going, it's a good time for members to make or update their household goods inventory, including a list of valuables.

"I recommend recording the contents of homes," said Terry Head, president of the Household Goods Forwarders Association of America, Inc. "I use an instant camera, but you can use video or computer software. It really helps should there be a need to justify a claim."

As soon as people receive orders, a counseling session at the base personal property shipping office is the next step. Schedule the session as soon as possible, the experts agree. Married members should bring their spouses.

At the counseling session, members and their spouses should be sure they can provide all pick-up addresses, a destination address and phone numbers for themselves en route and at destination.

"The worst situation is having a trucker arrive at a destination, and the member can't be reached," Spieler explained. "(The trucker) can't get unloaded and if storage is tight, they can't put the shipment in storage. They're probably

scheduled for another outbound shipment, which means another member is going to have a pickup problem."

People should offer several dates for packing and pickup and indicate whether they want a door-to-door move or need temporary storage. Additional shipment insurance can be obtained at member expense through some carriers, and anyone who wants this should make it known during counseling.

After the counseling session, the personal property shipping office assigns a carrier to the move. Airmen can expect a call from the carrier's representative, who will want an estimate of requirements for the move.

"The estimator is there to get a sense of what work needs to be done so when the crew arrives, they're prepared," Head said. "The member should point out items needing special packing, crating or dismantling."

Despite the best planning, things can go awry on moving day when stress levels are high. People can minimize stress by giving the pack-out and loading their full attention. Head suggests getting the children and pets out so people don't have to worry about them.

"It's a good idea not to schedule a move for the day you're closing on your house or your rental agreement expires," said Scott Michael, an executive at the American Moving and Storage Association. "Another tip: everybody tries to move the last week of the month or the first day of the month because that's when leases expire and buyers like to close on houses. Try to do your move in the middle of the month when there's less competition for the work."

Another potential area for stress is packing. If an airman has a question or concern about the way something is being packed and handled, it's best to follow the movers "chain of command."

"Our industry is pushing more and more to train its people in customer service and customer relations," Head said. "The first attempt to express a concern should be with the crew leader or foreman. If agreement on how to proceed can't be reached at that level, ask to speak to the person's supervisor."

The next step, Spieler added, is to call the personal property office, which will dispatch a government inspector to resolve the issue.

Spieler, Head and Michael agreed the single most important step to a smooth move is acting early to set the moving process in motion.

Air Force Worldview

Absentee voting

The Air Force voting program gives Air Force members and their families the information and tools they need to vote absentee when serving away from their voting residence.

Every Air Force base has a voting assistance officer who can help airmen and voting-age family members with the registration and voting process. Each state's requirements are different and airmen should check with their VAO to determine registration and voting requirements. To register and vote absentee, use the Standard Form 76, Federal Post Card Application.

The following are some of the reasons some Standard Form 76s are rejected:

- Inadequate current mailing address
- Illegible writing
- Failure to indicate party preference
- Form incomplete
- No signature

For help with voting matters, call the installation voting officer or visit the Federal Voting Assistance Program web site at: <http://www.fvap.gov/>.

DOD gets new card

WASHINGTON - AFNS — NationsBank of Delaware will provide the new Department of Defense travel card starting Dec. 1.

Travelers will continue to use their American Express cards until midnight Nov. 30. DOD travelers use the card to charge lodging, airline tickets, rental cars, gas and food while traveling on official business.

NationsBank is offering the DOD the choice of a Visa or Mastercard, but no decision has been made on which card will be used. Details of the change will be available after the Air Force has a chance to meet with NationsBank and discuss the implementation and training schedules.

The two-year agreement has three additional one-year options that can be exercised individually at the convenience of the government. The award was based on best value to the DOD.

Meanwhile, the Air Force will continue to work delinquency issues and other current card issues with the major commands and American Express.



Sports briefs

Aquaknights notes

• The Aquaknights of Atlantis will sponsor an Earth Day clean-up dive at Sao Mateus Saturday. All proceeds will benefit the youth telethon. For more information, call Ext. 23294 or 23327.

• The Aquaknights are sponsoring a camping trip April 24 to 26. For more information, call Ext. 23294 or 23327.

Bench press competition

The 629th Air Mobility Support Squadron is sponsoring a bench press competition in support of the Lajes Youth Telethon. The contest will be held April 23 from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Chase Fitness Center. The entry fee is \$10 or a minimum of \$10 in pledges. There are male and female categories. For more information or to sign up, call TSgt. Kevin Skates at Ext. 23669.

Tee for two golf

Two Northwest Air round-trip stateside airline tickets are available to win during this year's Tee For Two Golf Tournament April 30. The tickets will be given away through a drawing, so golfing skill doesn't apply. The tourney will be a two-person (male/female) best shot format starting at noon. Find a partner of the opposite sex and call Tom Young at Ext. 24201 to register.

Parking lot closure

The Hillside Lanes Bowling Center parking lot is being worked on until April 24. The center will remain open and patrons may park behind the center.

Wing golf tournament

The 65th Air Base Wing agencies will host a golf tournament May 29. The four-person select-shot format game begins at noon and costs \$10 per person. For more information or to sign-up, call Ext. 26284.

TILGA

The Terceira Island Ladies Golf Association holds its monthly couples tournament and potluck April 26 at noon. TILGA is open to all lady golfers. The next general meeting will be May 2 at 9:30 a.m., at the golf course. For more information, call Cherie Freeman at Ext. 28555.



Photo/TSgt. Patricia Collins

Women's volleyball

Ann Hoffman, No. 14, of the 65th Communications Squadron women's volleyball team, goes up to block a shot against Angra Tuesday night during the ladies league playoffs at the Chace Fitness Center. Angra won in three games after forfeiting the first and then going 15-6 and 15-6. Other action saw JAMS beat the Medical Group/High School team, 15-1 and 15-9. The women's final will be held April 27 at 7:30 p.m.

Co-ed volleyball playoffs

COMM

MG/LHS

April 16
Loser to A

Tuesday
5:30 p.m.
Loser to C

CES

JAMS

April 16
Loser to B

April 28
7:30 p.m.
If First Loss -
Loser to D

If Necessary
April 28
8:30 p.m.

C

Thursday -
8:30 p.m.

A

B

D

All volleyball playoff games are held at the Chace Fitness Center.



TRADE WINDS

Saturday

Lunch: Italian sausage with peppers and onions, szechwan beef, turkey

Dinner: El rancho stew, veal cube parmesan, ground beef cordon bleu

Sunday

Lunch: Baked fish portions, barbecue chicken, vegetarian pizza

Dinner: Salisbury steak, veal steaks, pasta primavera

Monday

Lunch: Chicken alcatra, grilled bratwurst, savory ham and rice

Dinner: Beef pot roast, chicken a la king, spaghetti with tomato sauce

Tuesday

Lunch: Simmered corned beef, pastelinhos de bacal, manicotti

Dinner: Chipper perch, lemon turkey with pasta, Italian meatloaf

Wednesday

Lunch: Baked and southern fried chicken, feijoda, herbed baked spinach

Dinner: Braised beef cubes, roast turkey, tuna cheese macaroni

Thursday

Lunch: Salisbury steak, almondegas, turkey enchiladas

Dinner: Barbecue ham steaks, fried fish portions

April 24

Lunch: Tacos, Hungarian goulash, bakalhau a gomes sa

Dinner: Ginger pot roast, baked Italian sausage, pork adobo

Mongolian barbecue - Thursday from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Tradewinds. Free for meal card holders, \$3.20 for authorized patrons.

(Note: Menu subject to change without notice.
Daily hotline menu: Ext. 24248.)

Call Ext. 22369

CLASSIFIEDS

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• AUTOMOBILES •

• 1982 Chevy Chevette, island car, runs good. Great car to get you through a few months, \$150. Available May 5. Call Ext. 28776.

• 1991 Plymouth Laser. Has 57,000 miles, only 5,000 on new engine. Red 2-door, 4 cylinder, 5 speed. Inspection good through July, 2000. \$5,500 OBO. Call Mike Matthews at Ext. 26131 or 28042.

• FREE PETS •

• **FREE** to good home, 1 1/2 year old male mix breed dog. House trained, has all current shots. Has been neutered and is good with kids. Call Ext. 27985.

• **FREE** to a good home, 4 month old puppy. His shots are up to date and he is neutered. Also he is potty trained and great with kids. If interested, call Ext. 28244.

• **FREE** medium size brown (beautifully marked, female) 18 month old island dog. Her shots are up-to-date and she's house broken and spayed. Comes with food, food-dish and animal carrier. If interested, call Ext. 28074 for more information.

• MISCELLANEOUS •

• Barney comforter set - includes: two sets of curtains, comforter, ruffle, sham, lamp and a roll of matching wallpaper border. Items are nearly new, asking \$95. Call Ext. 23381 or 52726 after 6:30 p.m.

• Scuba diving wetsuit, 7mm thickness, Beauchat Titanium series. Perfect for diving year round water temperatures around Terceira. It has never been used, brand new, impeccable state, \$300. Call Francisco Rosa at Ext. 23151 or 99-5290.

• Big Foot red panel wagon, \$35; Little Tikes picnic table, \$30; Rival three quart crock pot, \$5; wooden toddler bed rail, \$5; child's training potty with video, \$8; barbecue smoker grill, \$15; and two 18-inch oscillating pole fans, \$10 each. Call Ext. 28955.

• COTTAGES •

• Cottage H-118, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, single unit with large fenced yard. Includes carpet throughout, fireplace, utility room, ceiling fans, space heater and dehumidifier. Will leave lawn mower, garden tools, grill and yard furniture. New flash heater, secure, not

broken into in 3 years. Available May 15, \$6,000. Call Andy or Linda Kraft at Ext. 28240 or 23554.

• Cottage H-145B, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. New paneling, carpet and tile. Spacious kitchen with lots of cupboard space. Vaulted ceilings and ceiling fans throughout. Large, walled-in backyard. Picnic table, dehumidifier and heaters included. Available in June, \$11,000. Call Ext. 28311 or 21391.

• H-200B, four or five bedrooms, one bath, living and dining areas, kitchen, utility room and fenced yard. Available in mid-June, \$6,500. Call Ext. 23231 or 28312.

• H-202C, available now with two bedrooms, one bath, large living room, kitchen, utility and storage rooms. Newly remodeled bath and kitchen, attic, new flash heater, security lights, wood floors and many extras, \$6,100 OBO. Call Ext. 27953 or 23227.

• H-121, 2 bedrooms, one bath, fenced back yard, \$8,000. Land rent is 9,000 escudos per month. Call Ext. 28000 or 23689.

• Cottage, H-157. 1,600 square feet, four bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, sunroom/playroom, separate utility room, detached garage, walk-in closet, lots of storage, huge windows in livingroom and dining room overlooking fabulous view, large walled-in yard, fireplace, ceiling fans, new floors and bathrooms. Includes carpets, some furniture, 3 dehumidifiers, \$20,000. Owner will finance, call Bernie or Karen Ray at Ext. 27923 or 26741.

• H-101 - single unit, well maintained, 2 large bedrooms, 1 bath, gorgeous views, separate dining room, lots of storage space, remodeled living room, stone fireplace, enormous yard with patio and built-in barbecue, off-street parking, dishwasher, ceiling fans, security system, and new flash heater included. Asking \$13,500. Call Ext. 28500 or 26532.

• H-156, Spacious 4 bedroom with more than 1,500 square feet. Very well maintained with many renovations. Large kitchen, living and dining rooms with fireplace and all aluminum windows. Large private yard with basketball court. Great for kids or large family. Many extras included, \$17,500 OBO, call Ext. 28911.



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Lip sync contest

The 65th Supply Squadron's youth telethon lip sync contest will be held May 1 at 6 p.m. in the community center. In addition to live acts, refreshments and food will be offered during the show. For more information, or to sign up for the event, call Ext. 23832.

CAD pentathlon

People interested in helping with CAD '98 pentathlon events or participating in the events should call Capt. Robert Roane at Ext. 24273.

Volunteers needed include unit representatives, judges and scorekeepers. Events for this year's pentathlon are: two-mile stretcher race; 400-yard firefighter's relay; javelin throw; four-person team push ups; and the tug of war. The events will be held the week leading up to CAD and culminating with the tug of war May 16.

Earth Day run

The 65th Civil Engineer Squadron is sponsoring an Earth Day Fun Run/Walk Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. Pre-registration will be at the community center and the fitness center through today. The race will start at the elementary school parking lot, T-233, and end at the

recreation area at the military port. A free continental breakfast will be served following the race. Shuttle bus service will be provided to return participants back to the school parking lot. This event is open to U.S. and Portuguese military and civilians. For more information, call Anne Saul at Ext. 23143.

Prenatal support group

If you have questions or concerns about your pregnancy or delivery options, we have the answer. Come and enjoy the prenatal support group, April 28 at 2 p.m. at the community center. For more information, call Tammy Ross at Ext. 25177.

Thrift shop janitor needed

The thrift shop is accepting applications for the position of janitor. Applicants must be members in good standing of the officers or enlisted spouses club. For more information, call Ext. 23567 or stop by T-400.

Pipe organ concert

There will be a pipe organ concert at Igreja da Misericordia in Angra at 9:30 p.m. Admittance is free.

SUM dinner

The 65th Supply Squadron will host the next single, unaccompanied members dinner Thursday from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the chapel. The menu is Tex-Mex, featuring chili tacos, nachos with all the fixings, desserts and beverages.

Child fingerprinting

The 65th Security Forces Squadron and family advocacy will sponsor a children's fingerprinting session April 25 at the youth center from noon to 4 p.m. For more information on this program, call Ext. 25177.

Toddler hour

Toddler power hour at the youth center takes place on Mondays from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. On Monday there will be tumbling games and sign ups are needed by today. April 27 at the center will feature making spring bouquets - sign up by April 24. The cost is \$1.50 per class or \$5 per month. For more information, call Ext. 23273.

Oops!

In last week's Crossroads, we mistakenly identified the 629th Air Mobility Support Squadron softball team as the 65th AMSS softball team. Our apologies to the folks at the 629th.

BWI numbers

The following are the commercial phone numbers for the Baltimore International Airport - all numbers are area code 410:

Customer service - 691-2825
Chief, customer service - 691-7585
Flight information - 691-1127
Recorded flight information - 691-2450
Toll free flight information - 1-800-569-

8284

Fax machine - 691-2443
Lost and found baggage - 691-2701

The normal operating hours are as follows:

Customer service - Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Flight information - Daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Lost and found - Daily from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

AFI 36-2903

Tip of the Week

Courtesy - Lajes First Sergeant's Council

The weather is still ugly and over coats are a God send. Make sure you wear the right one though. As of March 1, the men's and women's single-breasted all weather coat was phased out.

Stay safe, stay happy, and most of all stay in standards. Remember, you represent us all.

Protestant schedule

Saturday — 6:18 p.m. -

Lutheran

Sunday — 9 a.m.

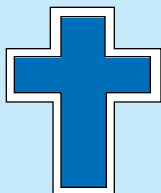
Evangelical service

Noon Gospel service

Catholic schedule

Saturday — 5 p.m. Mass

Sunday — 10:30 a.m. Mass



Thought for the Week

*"I will bless the Lord at all times;
His praise shall continually be
in my mouth."*

Psalms 34:1

Pie-in-face bidding update

The 65th Civil Engineer Squadron pie-in-the-face contest is taking bids. Those with the highest price (votes) cast get the pie in the face. Call CE to add a name to the list or place a vote. Votes are 1 cent each.

Name	Votes
Col. Segundo Pereira	6,000
Col. Rodney Gibson	4,065
Kevin Small	3,000
Chap. (Capt.) Richard Novotny	2,400
Lt. Col. Charles Street	2,100
Andy Louder	1,950
Ruben Nadal	1,800
Maj. James Hammes	1,700



Maj. Eric McKinley	1,500
Lt. Col. Roy Ruff Jr.	1,225
Col. Henry Childs	1,100
Lt. Col. Timothy Gaffney	1,000
Nelson Rutter	1,000
TSgt. Rebecca Jacobs	1,000



Movies

All show times are at 7 p.m. unless indicated. Movies are subject to change without notice. Call Ext. 23302 for information. (V= violence; S=sex; D=drug use; L=language)



Saturday

Jackie Brown
R (L•V•S•D) 154 min
6 p.m.
Amistad
R (V•S) - 152 min
9:30 p.m.

• Pam Grier and Samuel L. Jackson. Jackie Brown, a stewardess, supplements her income by smuggling but is busted and the only way to stay out of jail is to take part in a sting operation.

• Morgan Freeman and Anthony Hopkins. Based on the true story of a group of Africans shackled and held captive in their native land in 1839. They are bound as slaves and sent to America.

Sunday

Sphere
PG-13 132 min.
4 p.m.
Amistad
R (V•S) - 152 min
7 p.m.

• Dustin Hoffman and Sharon Stone. In the ocean is a sphere which has been there for centuries. Is it from space or our own future?

• See Saturday for details.

Monday

Phantoms
R (L•V) - 91 min

• Peter O'Toole and Rose McGowan. 700 people are dead in Colorado and no one knows why. An ancient spirit dormant for ages is awake and it threatens Earth.

Tuesday

Wag the Dog
R (L) - 105 min

• Dustin Hoffman and Robert DeNiro. When scandal threatens the re-election of the president, a spin doctor manufactures a crisis to draw attention from the race.

Wednesday

Jackie Brown
R (L•V•S•D) 154 min

• See Saturday for details.

Thursday

Sphere
PG-13 132 min.

• See Sunday for details.

April 24

Desperate Measures
R (L•V) - 100 min

• Andy Garcia and Michael Keaton. A San Francisco police officer's son needs a bone marrow transplant but the only donor is murderer Peter McCabe. In an effort to escape, McCabe agrees to donate.

SATURDAY

0030 Showbiz Today
0100 Animal House
0300 A Dry White Season
0500 Headline News
0530 ABC World News Tonight
0600 CNN/SI
0630 NBC Nightly News
0700 Puzzle Place
0730 Magic School Bus
0800 Brand Spanking New Doug
0830 Sylvester and Tweety
0900 AAAH! Real Monsters
0930 Bone Chillers
1000 New Explorers
1100 This Old House
1130 Burt Wolf's Table
1200 Headline News
1230 Navy/Marine Corps News
1300 Major League soccer - NY/NJ Metrostars at Chicago
1500 ISKA Karate
1600 WWF Superstars
1700 The Entertainers
1800 Headline News
1830 ESPNNews
1900 Married With Children
2000 News Radio
2030 The Nanny
2100 20/20
2200 FOXNET football - England at Frankfurt

SUNDAY

0100 Saturday Night Live
0230 Videolink
0300 House Party
0500 Headline News
0530 Hour of Power
0630 On Main Street
0700 Coral Ridge
0730 Christopher Closeup
0800 Gargoyles
0830 Arthur
0900 Dr. Quinn Medicine Woman
1000 The Attic: Hiding of Ann Frank
1200 Headline News
1230 Army Newswatch
1300 NBA basketball - NY Knicks at Chicago
1600 JAG
1700 Hercules
1800 Headline News
1830 ESPNNews
1900 NASCAR Winston Cup - Goody's Headache Powder 500
2230 Gymnastics - International Team Championships

MONDAY

0030 Army Newswatch
0100 Headline News
0130 Wall St. Journal Report
0200 Computer Chronicles
0230 America's Black Forum
0300 Showtime at the Apollo
0400 Friday Night
0500 Meet the Press
0600 Headline News
0630 CNN/SI
0700 Sesame Street Special

0800 World of Richard Scary
0830 Kiana Flex Appeal
0900 Oprah Winfrey
1000 Port Charles
1030 Guiding Light
1100 General Hospital
1200 Headline News
1230 Wheel of Fortune
1300 Today
1500 AAAH! Real Monsters
1530 Rugrats
1600 Cosby Show
1630 Step by Step
1700 Star Trek: Deep Space Nine
1800 Headline News/News 8
1830 Navy/Marine Corps News
1900 60 Minutes
2000 Ellen
2030 Frasier
2100 New York Undercover
2200 Headline News/News 8
2230 Tonight Show with Leno
2330 Late Show with Letterman

TUESDAY

0030 Showbiz Today
0100 Batman
0300 Into the Night
0500 Headline News
0530 ABC World News Tonight
0600 CNN/SI
0630 NBC Nightly News
0700 Sesame Street
0800 Fraggle Rock
0830 Fitness Beach
0900 Oprah Winfrey
1000 Port Charles
1030 Guiding Light
1100 General Hospital
1200 Headline News
1230 Wheel Of Fortune
1300 Today
1500 Sports Illustrated for Kids
1530 All Dogs go to Heaven
1600 Beakman's World
1630 Saved by the Bell
1700 Jeopardy!
1730 ESPNNews
1800 Headline News/News 8
1830 Showbiz Today
1900 Sliders
2000 Guilty As Sin
2200 Headline News/News 8
2230 Tonight Show with Leno
2330 Late Show with Letterman

WEDNESDAY

0030 Showbiz Today
0100 Double, Double Toil Trouble
0300 This Can't Be Love
0500 Headline News
0530 ABC World News Tonight
0600 CNN/SI
0630 NBC Nightly News
0700 Sesame Street
0800 Sesame Street Special
0830 Body Shaping
0900 Oprah Winfrey
1000 Port Charles
1030 Guiding Light
1100 General Hospital
1200 Headline News
1230 Wheel Of Fortune
1300 Today
1500 Where...is Carmen Sandiego
1530 Happily Ever After

1600 Power Rangers ZEO
1630 Hidden Temple
1700 Jeopardy!
1730 ESPNNews
1800 Headline News/News 8
1830 Showbiz Today
1900 Sister, Sister
1930 Home Improvement
2000 Beverly Hills 90210
2100 Ally McBeal
2200 Headlines News/News 8
2230 Tonight Show with Leno
2330 Late Show with Letterman

THURSDAY

0030 Showbiz Today
0100 America's Funniest Videos
0130 NHL Hockey conference quarter finals
0730 Sesame Street
0830 Fitness Beach
0900 Oprah Winfrey
1000 Port Charles
1030 Guiding Light
1100 General Hospital
1200 Headline News
1230 Wheel Of Fortune
1300 Today
1500 Animaniacs
1530 Goof Troop
1600 Eerie, Indiana
1630 Nick News
1700 Jeopardy!
1730 ESPNNews
1800 Headline News/News 8
1830 Showbiz Today
1900 Academy of Country Music Awards
2200 Headline News/News 8
2230 Tonight Show with Leno
2330 Late Show with Letterman

APRIL 24

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1230 Wheel Of Fortune
1300 Today
1500 Superman '96
1530 Taz Mania
1600 Global Guts
1630 Space Cases
1700 Jeopardy!
1730 ESPNNews
1800 Headline News/News 8
1830 Showbiz Today
1900 Nick Freno
1930 Simpsons
2000 Star Trek Deep Space Nine
2100 X-Files
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